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GROWERS

OOSTACKER-near-GHENT

(BELGIUM)

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS: Dewaele, Begonias, Oostacker, Belgium

Wholesale List

OF

TUBEROUS

BEGONIAS

AND

GLOXINIAS

1939/1940

IMPORTANT:

The regulations for BEGONIAS and GLOXINIAS have been changed so that beginning with 1 December 1939 everyone can import without any restriction.

The importer has only to apply for a permit to the U.S.A.-Department of Agriculture, Washington D.C., Federal Horticultural Board.
Our Government is still negotiating for an earlier application of the named regulations.

LENGTH OF THE SHIPPING-SEASON:

BEGONIAS and GLOXINIAS can be shipped from 1 October until April each year.

CROSSING:

Crossing Belgium/New York takes 8 days.

Crossing Belgium/San Francisco takes nearly one month.

CUSTOMS TARIFF:

Tariff N° 753: tubers and seed of Begonias and Gloxinias pay 30 % ad valorem.

E.g. for a value of \$. 100 Begonias, the duty is \$. 30.—.

RISKS:

Goods travel at buyer's risks.

EXPENSES:

Expenses of expedition are charged to the purchaser, as well as the risks and perils of carriage, but the greatest care is always taken to ensure the safe arrival of the tubers.

E.g. FREIGHT from Belgium to New-York or San Francisco: **per one cubic yard** or average: \$.12.50.

ONE CUBIC YARD bears approximatively 8.000 Begonias or Gloxinias with a diameter from 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ins.

PACKING-CHARGES:

Extra to cost. E.g. \$. 1.— per 1000 Begonias 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ins.

PACKING FREE for nett cash with order of any value.

PAYMENT:

Please enclose cheque with order, which we can deposit and collect through our banks in the usual way.

We cannot send to **new customers** if not paid on beforehand or if they do not give references from bankers.

We quote at very competitive prices and therefore we cannot risk any loss.

COMPLAINTS:

Complaints and allowance cannot be entertained unless made within 3 days from date of arrival.

All tubers offered in this list are of first quality, healthy, wellripened and true to name.

Should by any cause, any article prove not to be true, it will be replaced free of charge.

INQUIRIES:

We are always at the entire disposition of our customers to give them full particulars about the cultivation of Begonias and Gloxinias.

We have several customers in the U.S.A. and You — of course — can ask for inquiries.

Low prices for high quality.

Begonia tuberosa Grandiflora erecta

Seedling tubers, ripe and healthy.

In separate and beautiful colours. Exceptionally fine strain.

The flowers are mammoth large.

All tubers quoted are eminently suited to flower abundantly.

1) Single Begonias:

Crimson, scarlet, orange, salmon, pink, copper, yellow and white.

Per 100 : Per 1000 :

1 ¼ to 2 ½ ins. diameter :	\$1.50	\$14.—
1 ¼ to 1 ½ ins. diameter :	\$0.80	\$ 7.50
1 ¼ to 2 ins. diameter :	\$1.20	\$11.—
1 ½ to 2 ½ ins. diameter :	\$2.25	\$20.—
2 to 2 ½ ins diameter (giant tubers).....	\$3.50	\$32.50
Selected for exhibition : per 12 : \$0.50		
per 100 : \$4.00		

2) Double Begonias:

Crimson, scarlet, orange, salmon, pink, copper, yellow and white.

Per 100 : Per 1000 :

1 ¼ to 2 ½ ins. diameter :	\$1.60	\$15.—
1 ¼ to 1 ½ ins. diameter :	\$0.85	\$ 8.—
1 ¼ to 2 ins. diameter :	\$1.25	\$12.—
1 ½ to 2 ½ ins. diameter :	\$2.50	\$22.50
2 to 2 ½ ins. diameter (giant tubers).....	\$3.75	\$32.50
Selected for exhibition : per 12 : \$0.60		
per 100 : \$5.00		

Fancy Begonias

of more recent introduction.

A. — SINGLE VARIETIES :

3) Crispa: Single frilled or undulated.

In seven separate colours (except scarlet). Per 100 : Per 1000 :

1 ¼ to 2 ½ ins. diameter :	\$1.60	\$15.—
1 ¼ to 1 ½ ins. diameter :	\$0.85	\$ 8.—
1 ¼ to 2 ins. diameter :	\$1.25	\$12.—
1 ½ to 2 ½ ins. diameter :	\$2.50	\$22.50
2 to 2 ½ ins. diameter :	\$3.75	\$32.50
Selected for exhibition : per 12 : \$0.60		
per 100 : \$4.50		

Quantity discounts on application.

4) Cristata : Single crested.

In six separate colours.

Per 100 : Per 1000 :

1 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ins. diameter :	\$2.25	\$20.—
Selected for exhibition : per 12 : \$0.70.		

5) Crispa Marginata : in two separate varieties :

Single frilled and bordered : 1) white bordered crimson ;
2) yellow bordered crimson.

Per 100 : Per 1000 :

1 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ins. diameter :	\$2.25	\$20.—
Selected for exhibition : per 12 : \$0.80.		

6) Marmorata (single) : pink fleked white.

Per 100 : Per 1000 :

1 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ins. diameter :	\$2.25	\$20.—
Selected for exhibition : per 12 : \$0.75		

B. — DOUBLE VARIETIES :

7) Fimbriata flora plena (fringed) :

In six separate colours.

Per 100 : Per 1000 :

1 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ins. diameter :	\$2.25	\$20.—
Selected for exhibition : per 12 : \$0.75		
per 100 : \$5.00		

8) Bouton de rose (Rosebuds) :

Mixed colours. A nice collection : colours diverging from salmon and orange to pink and yellow.

Per 100 : Per 1000 :

1 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ins. diameter :	\$2.25	\$20.—
Selected for exhibition : per 12 : \$0.70		
per 100 : \$4.50		

9) Camellia Flora :

Mixed colours. Principal colour bluish pink, bordered and fleked white.

Per 100 : Per 1000 :

1 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ins. diameter :	\$2.25	\$20.—
Selected for exhibition : per 12 : \$0.75.		

All tubers are first quality and strictly in well separated colours.

10) **Marmorata :**

Mixed colours. Principal colours : orange and pink, fleked white.

Per 100 : Per 1000 :

1 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ins. diameter : \$2.25 \$20.—

Selected for exhibition : per 12 : \$.0.75.

11) **The Butterfly :**

Colours similar to marmorata, however spotted instead of fleked.

Per 100 : Per 1000 :

1 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ins. diameter : \$2.25 \$20.—

Selected for exhibition : per 12 : \$.0.75.

2. — **Begonia boliviensis superba :**

Single bright vermillion.

Per 100 : Per 1000 :

1 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ins. diameter : \$2.25 \$20.—

3. — **Begonia Pendula**

In 6 separate colours : scarlet, pink, yellow, white, salmon and orange.

Suited very well for hanging baskets.

Per 100 : Per 1000 :

1 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ins. diameter : \$2.50 \$20.—

Selected for exhibition : per 12 : \$.1.—.

4. — **Begonia multiflora :**

All from cuttings.

Perfect large flowering begonias, superb for any purpose. Flowering the earliest of all begonias; they are the richest in colour, with compact growth and medium large flowers.

We hold largest and most beautifully grown stocks to be found in the trade, and only list those varieties that are suited to form dwarf, bushy, close and handsome flowerbeds.

We pretend there is no more attractive among flowerbeds, laid out in town gardens, etc. They are very pretty as pot plants too.

SIZE : 1 ins to 2 ins, diameter, with exception of the BERTINI's, which are from 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ ins. until 3 ins. diameter.

a) **SINGLE FLOWERED :**

Per 100 :

Bertini, brillant vermillion	\$4.—
Bertini Salmon, bright salmon	\$4.—
Bertini M ^{me} Oscar Lamarck, carmine	\$4.—
Bertini Paris, brighter vermillion, greater flowers	\$5.00
La Madelon, bright pink, dwarf	\$5.50
Victor Boret, copper, dwarf	\$7.—

We also quote DUTY-PAID f.o.b. U.S.A. COAST PORTS. Please state quantities, varieties and sizes required.

b) DOUBLE FLOWERED:

Alice Crousse, salmon pink	\$.12.50
Ami Jean Bart, copper yellow	\$. 3.50
Chartres, pink,	\$.12.50
Chloe, the finest bright yellow	\$. 9.—
Commander Felix, crimson	\$. 6.—
Count Zeppelin, bright crimson scarlet	\$. 4.—
Dornröschen, pink	\$.15.—
Evelyn Tavenet, pink	\$. 5.—
Flamboyant, bright cherry (the best red)	\$. 3.50
Gambetta, orange (new)	\$.15.—
Jean Mermoz, dark red (very new)	\$.25.—
Lafayette, brilliant orange scarlet	\$.12.50
Lord Mavor Max, fiery scarlet	\$. 5.—
M ^{lle} Frêne, the purest double white ever seen (very new)	\$.25.—
M ^{me} E. Lethias, salmon	\$. 8.—
M ^{me} Frêne-Eysser, salmon-red (new) the finest of all ...	\$.16.—
M ^{me} Hélène Harms, canary yellow(the best yellow)	\$. 3.50
M ^{me} Juliette Burlurut, dark salmon (new)	\$.15.—
M ^{me} Richard Galle, copper yellow, very fine	\$. 4.—
Margaret Eysser, pink	\$.12.50
Président de Savoye, yellow	\$. 7.50
Paul Parré, salmon pink, fringed	\$. 8.—
Petit Henri, vermillion	\$. 5.—
Princess Victoria Louise, pale rosy pink	\$.12.—
Rose-Marie, salmon-pink (new)	\$.30.—
Rouget de l'Isle, bright fiery red, bronze foliage, fine ...	\$.15.—
Splendeur des Tuileries, copper-red	\$.15.—
William Eysser, bright scarlet, a fine variety	\$.12.50

Gloxinias

Gloxinias Crassifolia and Hybrida.

Giant erect-flowered. All very healthy tubers.

To pot immediately on receipt or to keep at a temperature of minimum 45°.

In finest separate colours.

VARIETIES :

Blanche de Méru, white bordered pink.
 Defiance, scarlet.
 Emperor Frederic, red bordered white.
 Emperor William, blue bordered white.
 Etoile de Feu, brilliant red.
 Mont blanc, white.
 Pointillé, spotted and laced, all co-

lours.

Prince Albert, deep purple.
 Princess Elisabeth, white bordered blue.
 Queen Wilhelmina, violet pink.
 King of the reds, deep scarlet.
 Violacea, deep purple.
 Waterloo, purplish scarlet, frilled.

per 100 : per 1000 :

1 ¼ to 2 ½ ins. diameter :	\$2.25	\$20.—
1 ins. to 1 ¼ ins. diameter :	\$0.75	\$ 7.—
1 ¼ to 1 ½ ins. diameter :	\$1.25	\$11.50
1 ¼ to 2 ins. diameter :	\$1.75	\$16.—
1 ½ to 2 ½ ins. diameter :	\$3.00	\$27.50
2 to 2 ½ ins. diameter :	\$4.50	\$42.50

Selected for exhibition : per 12 : \$0.75

per 100 : \$5.—

Seed:

Per 15 Grains (equal one Gramme).

True to name.

Producing the most typic flowers.

Carefully saved from selected pot plants.

1) *Begonia tuberosa Grandiflora erecta.*

Varieties : **SINGLE**, in 8 separate colours, each per 15 grains : \$2.—

SINGLE FRILLED, in 6 separate col. » » » \$2.—

SINGLE CRESTED (cristata) in 6 sep. col. » » \$3.50

SINGLE MARMORATA, » » \$3.50

MARGINATA (Single), in two colours ... » » \$3.50

DOUBLE in 8 separate colours, each ... » » \$3.50

DOUBLE FIMBRIATA in 6 sep. colours ... » » \$4.50

DOUBLE CAMELLIA, » » \$4.50

DOUBLE MARMORATA, » » \$4.50

DOUBLE PICTA, (Butterfly) » » \$4.50

BOUTON DE ROSE (Rosebuds), mixed col. » » \$4.50

2) *Begonia boliviensis superba :*

per 15 Grains : \$4.—

3) *Begonia Pendula :*

in 6 separate colours, » » » \$7.50

4) *Gloxinias :*

each variety, » » » \$2.50

IMPORTANT : For large quantities, special prices on application.



Begonia tuberosa grandiflora erecta
Var. Double

